



Western
SocialScience

We seek a Chair whose research has the potential to be world-leading and who shows evidence of top-tier research excellence through knowledge production and mobilization. The candidate will be appointed within one or more of our Social Science departments, research centres, research institutes, and the Indigenous Studies interdisciplinary program. As appropriate, the successful candidate may also demonstrate a record of interdisciplinary collaborations nationally or internationally; show a record of early leadership through collaborative research, the establishment of networks, esteem, and connections in their field of work; or demonstrate a record of engagement of knowledge users outside academia such as with government non-governmental organizations, educators, and the general public.

In accordance with the CRC regulations set for Tier 2 Canada Research Chairs <https://www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca>, Tier 2 chairs are intended for exceptional emerging scholars (i.e. candidates must have less than 10 years of experience as an active researcher in their field at the time of nomination). Applicants who are more than 10 years from having earned their highest degree (and where career breaks exist, such as maternity, parental or extended sick leave, clinical training, etc.) may have their eligibility for a Tier 2 Chair assessed through the program's Tier 2 justification process; please contact Research Development at The University of Western Ontario at ResearchWesternCRC@uwo.ca for more information. Please consult the Canada Research Chair website for full information, including further details on eligibility criteria. http://www.chairs-chaire.gc.ca/program-programme/nomination-mise_en_candidature-eng.aspx

As chairholder, the candidate must have the potential to attract, develop and retain excellent students and trainees, and be proposing an original, innovative research program of high quality fundable through Canada's Social Science and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) <https://www.sshrc-crsh.gc.ca/home-accueil-eng.aspx> .

About Western www.uwo.ca - Western University is located on the traditional lands of the Anishinaabek, Haudenosaunee, Lunaapéewak and Chonnonton peoples, on lands connected with the London Township and Sombra Treaties of 1796 and the Dish with One Spoon Covenant Wampum. This land continues to be home to diverse Indigenous Peoples (First Nations, Métis, and Inuit) whom we recognize as contemporary stewards of the land and vital contributors of our society.

With annual research funding exceeding \$220 million, and an international reputation for success, Western ranks as one of Canada's top research-intensive universities. Our research excellence expands knowledge and drives discovery with real-world application. Western also provides an exceptional employment experience, offering competitive

salaries, a wide range of employment opportunities and one of Canada's most beautiful campuses.

Western University recognizes that our commitment to equity, diversity and inclusion is central to the University's mandate as a research intensive situation of higher learning and a community leader. Western understands that our pursuit of research excellence

- Names, addresses, and email addresses for three referees (we do not solicit letters until the interview stage).

Please combine all components, ordered as above, in a single PDF file named **YOURLASTNAME_UWO_FSS_CRC_T2** and email the file to:

Chair, Search Committee, Tier 2 CRC in Sustainability and the Social
c/o Karen Foullong, Faculty Coordinator
Faculty of Social Science
Western University
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Consideration of applications will commence August 31, 2023.

Positions are subject to budget approval. Applicants should have fluent written and oral communication skills in English.

The University invites applications from all qualified individuals. Western is committed to employment equity and diversity in the workplace and welcomes applications from women, members of racialized groups, Indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, persons of any sexual orientation, and persons of any gender identity or gender expression. In accordance with Canadian immigration requirements, priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

Accommodations are available for applicants with disabilities throughout the recruitment process. If you require accommodations for interviews or other meetings, please contact Karen Foullong kfoullon@uwo.ca.

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